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Examiner Addison, Karen B. :
In re application of : WOLFGANG HILL
: ELECTRIC MACHINE WITH SOFT-
: MAGNETIC TEETH [AND A METHOD
: FOR PRODUCING THE SAME]

Serial No. 09/477,608
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AMENDMENT

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Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the office action dated August 26, 2004, please amend the above identified application as follows:

REMARKS

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action dated August 26, 2004.
Claims 1 - 7 are pending in the application.

Regarding **Claim Rejections - USC § 103 (a):**

The examiner rejects claims 1 - 3 under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Rosenberry (4,392,072) in view of Rosenberry (4,403,401).

May the applicant respectfully point out that, in the description of the characteristics of Rosenberry (4,392,072), the examiner does not cite the facts correctly. This is true in particular as far as the materials and their properties are concerned.

1. The applicant shows below that the statement, "stator (2) having a soft magnetic body (resin) and teeth (cobalt alloy)..." is erroneous.

In Fig. 1 the stator is labeled 1, not 2. The cylindrical back portion or yoke is labeled 2 (column 3, line 56). Rosenberry (4,392,072) describes a "stator constructed of amorphous metal components" (column 3, line 20). Resin is used as "bonding material"

a) to form a stable, helically or toroidally wound ribbon of amorphous metal